



South Dakota Infection Control Council

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“Infection Prevention...It Happens Here!”

27th Annual South Dakota Infection Control Conference

October 4 – 5, 2007
Holiday Inn City Centre
Sioux Falls, South Dakota

Sponsored by:



South Dakota Infection Control Council

SDICC Agenda

THURSDAY, October 4, 2007

Continental breakfast served

8:00 – 8:30 AM

Registration

8:30 – 8:45 AM

Welcome

Sharon Rockman RN, BA, CIC

SDICC Chairperson

8:45 – 9:45 AM

The Latest and Greatest Ways to Teach Television

Generation Learners

Michele L. Deck RN, BSN, LCCE, FACCE, Med

9:45– 10:15 AM

Introduce Vendors

Break with Vendors

10:15 – 12:00

Continued

Michele L. Deck RN, BSN, LCCE, FACCE, MEd

12:00-1:00 PM

Lunch (provided)

1:00-2:00 PM

Construction

Arlene Potts

2:00-2:30 PM

Break with Vendors

2:30-3:30 PM

IC Program

Arlene Potts

3:30-5:00 PM

Statistics

Arlene Potts

5:00 – 5:15 PM

Complete Evaluations

FRIDAY, October 5, 2007

Continental breakfast served

8:00 – 8:15 AM

Welcome-

Judy Lamphron RN, BSN, CIC

Program Chairperson

8:15 – 9:45 AM

SD Department of Health

To Be Announced

9:45 – 10:00 AM

Break

10:00 – 11:00 AM

MRSA

Dr. Aris Assimacopoulos MD. FIDSA

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Skin Disease: Contagious or Non-Contagious

Dr. Sarah Sarbacker

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM

Luncheon Business Meeting and Election of Board Members

All conference attendees are expected to participate

(Lunch provided)

1:00 – 2:00

Blood in the Bowels: Shiga Toxin-Producing E.coli Disease in South Dakota and other Public Health Updates

Lon Kightlinger PhD MSPH

2:00– 2:15 PM

Break

2:15 – 3:15 PM

Translating Lab Speak – A Source of Frustration for ICP's

Leo Serrano BS,MS, FACHE, CLsup(NCA), MT(ASC)

3:15 PM – 3:30 PM

Complete Evaluations

Introduction of New Board Members

Wrap Up

**2008 Conference will be held in
Rapid City, SD at the Ramkota on
Oct 9th and 10th.**

Conference Objectives...

1. Compare and contrast effective ways to set the stage for learning.
2. Describe the elements of an effective Infection Control program.
3. Define the role of Infection control in reducing construction-associated risks.
4. Identify basic statistical applications for Infection Control.
5. Understand Infection Control measures and treatment for MRSA.
6. Discuss Active Surveillance methods for MRSA.
7. Recognize contagious vs. non-contagious skin disease
8. Distinguish allergic vs. irritant dermatitis
9. Discuss public health control and prevention measures for shiga toxin-producing E.coli
10. Identify language and technical terms in the lab and what they mean

Speakers...In order of presentation:

Michele Deck

Michele Deck, an internationally renowned presenter, author, and educator is the co-founder, President and Chief Executive Officer of G.A.M.E.S., a company that provides seminars for any organization, specializing in adult learning and interactive teaching methods. She is also CEO of Tool Thyme for Trainers, a company she founded that supplies the most innovative and creative presentation tools available to educators worldwide. Her extensive travels have resulted in thousands of people who gained valuable expertise of adult education and training, from Australia to Scotland, Canada to Taiwan.

Michele is known for her innovative teaching methods in the field of health care education and training. She has been training educators and trainers full time for the last eighteen years. The National Nursing Staff Development Organization named her the recipient of the prestigious Belinda Puetz award in 2000.

Arlene M. Potts

Arlene M. Potts obtained her degree in Microbiology from Douglass College in New Brunswick, NJ in 1977. She became the Infection Control Surveillance Officer in 1978 at St. Peter's Medical Center in New Brunswick, NJ. From that point on, she has numerous publications and presentations in the infection control field, specializing in construction, statistics and data management, basic immunology, and ICP issues. Her presentations have taken her across the globe, from Hong Kong to Alaska. She has presented on the national and international level for APIC (posters and lecture) and is instrumental in EPI courses and educational seminars. Publications include several chapters for the APIC Text for Infection Control and articles in AJIC. She has contributed sample questions for the certification guide. In 1989, she was the co-developer, coordinator and faculty member of Northeastern Basic/Advanced Course for Principles in Infection Control. She has been certified in Infection Control since 1988, and currently is the Director of the Infection Control Program at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital.

Dr. Aris Assimacopoulos MD. FIDSA

Dr. Assimacopoulos completed his undergraduate and graduate medical studies at the University of Minnesota. He also completed his residency in Internal Medicine and Fellowship at the same institution earning the coveted title of "quadruple Gopher." During fellowship he worked in the laboratory of Dr. Patrick Schlievert in the area of streptococcal pathogenesis and was appointed as a clinical instructor at the University of Minnesota. Following fellowship he started practice in St. Paul Minnesota with St. Paul Infectious Disease Specialists where he practiced until 2001. In the fall of 2001 he left St. Paul to start his own private practice in his home town of Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Besides being the senior partner in a busy infectious disease private practice, he currently serves as the Medical Director of Infection Control and chairman of the P&T committee for Avera McKennan Hospital. He is also involved with the hospital's antimicrobial management team. He has a clinical appointment at the University of South Dakota School of Medicine, providing clinical teaching for both medical students and internal medicine residents in the area of Infectious Disease and has been designated as a Fellow of the Infectious Disease Society of America.

Dr. Sarah Sarbacker MD

Dr. Sarah Sarbacker grew up on a cattle ranch in western North Dakota. She has undergraduate and medical degrees from the University of North Dakota. Her internship in Internal Medicine was completed at the Mayo Clinic, and Dermatology Residency completed at the University of Missouri in Columbia, Missouri. She started her professional practice at Dakota Dermatology Clinic in 1997 with Dr. Jim McGrann. Dr. Sarbacker is married to Steve Sarbacker, a business attorney, and they have 2 children, Lydia and Issac.

Lon Kightlinger PhD MSPH

Lon Kightlinger grew up in Selby in north central South Dakota. He has an undergraduate biology degree from Augustana College and a Masters in Public Health and Tropical Medicine from New Orleans. Dr Kightlinger earned his Ph.D. from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Public Health. His area of doctoral research was infectious parasitic diseases and most of his publications are on intestinal nematodes and malaria. Lon was awarded a Fulbright Grant to carry out his foreign research. He did a Medical Technology internship at Rapid City Regional Hospital in 1977-1978. Lon worked in infectious disease control and primary health in Madagascar 1978-1998. In 1998 he returned to South Dakota and has since worked with the South Dakota Department of Health. He has been the State Epidemiologist since 2002.

Leo Serrano FACHE, CLSup(NCA)

With over 40 years of laboratory experience, Mr. Serrano has a broad technical as well as administrative background. He has numerous publications as well as presentations at national and international conferences. Mr. Serrano is a Fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives as well as a Certified Lean/6 Sigma Black Belt. Mr. Serrano has nearly 30 years experience with Outreach Laboratory Services in various locations. He is currently the Director of Laboratory Services and Lean Initiatives at Avera McKennan Hospital and University Health Center in Sioux Falls, S.D.

Objectives and Statement Purpose of the South Dakota Infection Control Council

- To provide continuing education in infection control to all persons with interest or responsibilities related to infection control.
- To provide an annual conference for those interested in the topic of infection control.
- To provide resource materials to increase knowledge in infection control and for use as in-service training aids.

Registration

Individual Rate:
\$75

Institutional Rate:
\$275/Institution for up to five people registering at the same time; registrations must be received at the same time and received in the same envelope to qualify for this rate. Single registrations will not be considered for the group rate.

Fee includes course materials, faculty instruction, breaks, lunch on Thursday and Friday, and continuing education credit. Receipt available upon request. Cancellations in writing received by September 15, 2007 will result in a refund minus a \$10.00 administration fee. Substitutions may be made if you are unable to attend. Refunds will be mailed out after the conference. NO refunds will be considered after September 15th, 2007.

Continuing Education Credit

Application for contact hours has been made to CNE-Net, the education division of the North Dakota Nurses Association, an accredited approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Please call Ellen Storms at Winner Regional Healthcare Center at 605-842-7187 for more information about contact hours

Consider SDICC Board Membership!

The SDICC Board has three openings that need to be filled. Each opening is for a 3 year term. As per SDICC bylaws, two positions are for persons from East River including a Dept of Health member, and an Infection Control professional from West River.

SDICC reserves the right to cancel this conference due to insufficient funds.

To register, mail your registration form and fee to:

**"Infection Prevention...
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Terri Mingo, Laboratory
Avera Sacred Heart Hospital
501 Summit
Yankton, SD 57078
e-mail: TMingo@SHHServices.com

****Make checks payable to: SDICC**
****Purchase orders and credit cards not accepted**

October 4 and 5, 2007
Holiday Inn City Centre
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
605/339-2000

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Registration fee of \$_____ is enclosed.

***We will email brochures electronically next year.**

Lodging

A block of rooms have been reserved at the Holiday Inn City Center for conference participants. Please inform the hotel you are attending the South Dakota Infection Control Conference when making your reservations. Reservations can be made by calling 1-605-339-2000 and ask for "In house reservations". Room rates are \$84.00/room.

Thank You

A special "Thank You" to the companies sponsoring speakers and breaks. SDICC would also like to thank the following organizations for their support of board members: Sanford Medical Center, Sioux Falls; Avera Sacred Heart Hospital, Yankton; South Dakota Department of Health, Pierre; Spearfish Surgery Center, Spearfish; Avera McKennan Hospital, Sioux Falls; Jenkins Living Center, Watertown; Rapid City Regional Hospital, Rapid City; Wagner Indian Health Services, Wagner; Winner Regional Health Care Center, Winner; 3M Company, Brookings.



South Dakota Infection Control Council Reference Materials Scholarship

Dear Applicant:

SDICC is pleased to offer the "Reference Materials Scholarship" for the ninth year. This annual scholarship is open to those who are involved with the practice of and promoting education in the area of infection control. Scholarships shall be awarded during the 2007 SDICC Educational Conference held in Sioux Falls on October 4 and 5, 2007. The intent of this program is to award materials which will contribute to improving the practice of and education in infection control.

Qualifications for application are as follows:

1. Your facility was not awarded a scholarship in 2006.
2. You must be registered and attend the 2007 SDICC conference.
3. Your request will promote the practice of/education in infection control.

If you have any questions, please contact Barbara Slaba by any of the methods below.
Thank you for your application.

*Please complete and return the application to Barbara Slaba by **September 20, 2007.***

Sincerely,
Barbara Slaba

Barbara Slaba
SDICC Scholarship Committee
29251 393rd Ave
Wagner, South Dakota 57380
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Fax: 605/384-5229

—Application—

Resource Materials Scholarship

Applicant's Name and Title: _____

Facility Name and Address: _____

Telephone: _____ **Fax:** _____

Titles of Material Requested: If you are applying for more than one, please list them in order of preference:

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Description of Material, i.e. subject matter of book, video/DVD, audio tape:

Ordering Information including publisher and address, attach order form if available:

(Note: Attaching copies of information on requested items from internet sites like Amazon.com or Barnes and Noble will assure that the committee has complete information for their review of the applications)

Reason for Request: _____

Applications will be considered according to guidelines in the scholarship letter.

SEND APPLICATION BY SEPTEMBER 20, 2007 TO:

**Barbara Slaba
SDICC Scholarship Committee
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Wagner, South Dakota 57380**